#### FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

### SEPARATE REVENUE-STAMPS.

Fort William, the 24th April 1874.

No. 2623.—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 35 of the Court Fees' Act 1870, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following reduction and remission.

(a). Whenever a grant of probate or letters of administration shall have been made in respect of any property forming part of an estate, the amount of fees then actually paid under the said Act shall be deducted when a like grant is made in respect of property belonging to the same estate, identical with or including the property to which the former grant relates.

(b). Whenever a grant of probate or letters of administration shall have been made in respect of any property belonging to an estate, no fees shall be chargeable under the said Act when a like grant is made in respect of the whole or any part of the same property belonging to the same estate.

(c). This Notification applies to the whole of British India.

R. B. CHAPMAN, Secretary to the Govt. of India.

#### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Notifications.

ESTABLISHMENT.

Fort William, the 7th April 1874.

No. 193.—Serjeant G. Maile, Overseer, 1st Grade, Mysore, is remanded to Military duty.

### Fort William, the 8th April 1874.

No. 205.—Mr. P. Russell, Overseer, 3rd Grade, Mysore, is dismissed with effect from 11th January 1874.

Mr. S. J. Peters is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Overseer, 3rd Grade, on probation, and posted to Mysore.

## Fort William, the 10th April 1874.

No. 210.—Lieutenant E. E. Kenny, Her Majesty's 56th Foot and Probationer for the Staff Corps, is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, and posted to Mysore.

C. H. DICKENS, Colonel, R. A., Secretary to the Govt. of India.

# CIRCULAR No. 9., RAILWAY.

Fort William, the 23rd April 1874.

READ-

Draft of Rules for the issue and use of free passes on State Railways.

RESOLUTION.—These rules are approved, and should be applied to all State Railways which are placed under the control of the Director of State Railways.

 Similar rules will be enforced on all State Railways which are placed under other authorities, and proposals embodying the necessary change in those now read in order to make them applicable to such Railways should be submitted in due course.

Ordered, that this Resolution and the Rules now read be forwarded to the Director of State Railways, and the Accountant General, Public Works Department, for information and guidance.

Also to the Consulting Engineer to the Government of India for State Railways; to the Director General of Telegraphs; the Director General of the Post Office, and the Consulting Engineers to the Government of India for Guaranteed Railways at Calcutta, Lucknow and Lahore, for information.